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Loss of Optical Fiber and Simulator  
Using the Same

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

Prior to the first Office Action in the present application, please enter and consider the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments** to the specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.